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TO AMEMBASSY BOGOTA PRIORITY

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SUBJECT: COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT FOR SECSTATE

1. DEPARTMENT HAS PLACED ORDER WITH ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC., FOR TWO 75 BAUD, FULL-PERIOD, FULL-DUPLEX TELETYPE CIRCUITS BETWEEN AMERICAN EMBASSY, BOGOTA, COLUMBIA, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE (ATS) FOR ACTIVATION FEBRUARY 19, 1976.

2. PLEASE ADVISE PTT AUTHORITIES OF FOREGOING ACTION AND REQUEST THEY EXPEDITE LOCAL LOOP SEGMENTS FROM PTT OFFICE SO LEASES CAN BE EXTENDED TO AMEMBASSY BOGOTA. ANY ASSISTANCE YOU CAN RENDER WILL BE APPRECIATED.

3. ALL COSTS FOR THESE LEASES (END-TO-END) WILL BE PAID BY DEPARTMENT TO ITT, WHO IN TURN WILL REMIT TO PTT THEIR SHARE DUE FOR INTERNATIONAL LEASES. LOCAL TAIL SEGMENT CHARGES WILL ALSO BE INCLUDED IN THIS ARRANGEMENT.

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4. THE CIRCUIT WILL REMAIN IN SERVICE UNTIL APPROXIMATELY
FEBRUARY 23, 1976.

5. PLEASE ADVISE DEPARTMENT IMMEDIATELY IF DELAY OR
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